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**To:** [Myers, Clayton](#)  
**Cc:** [Kiely, Timothy](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Neonic. Efficacy Data  
**Date:** Wednesday, April 16, 2014 8:47:53 AM

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Hi Clayton,

Your request was forwarded within the Agency, Someone is looking into it and will get back to you.

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Cc: "Kiely, Timothy"  
Date: 04-14-2014 03:26 PM  
Subject: Neonic. Efficacy Data

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Hi Sonia,  
I was just writing to follow up on a request a made a couple of weeks ago regarding PMRA reviews of neonicotinoid insecticide seed treatment efficacy for corn and soybeans. I was wondering if you've made any progress on assembling those reviews, as we are keenly interested in seeing how PMRA evaluated that data.

Thanks, and hope all is going well. (I've copied the email chain below)

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Hi Sonia,

Per your email to Tim below, I'd like to request a number of DER's related to product performance/efficacy for neonicotinoid seed treatments on corn and soybeans as follows:

Active ingredients: Clothianidin, Thiamethoxam, Imidacloprid

\*Personal privacy information\*

Study Types: Product Performance/Efficacy of Seed Treatments only

Crops: Corn, Soybean

Due Date: As soon as is practical

I don't have specific MRIDs available for these reviews, but I presume these studies would have been reviewed in coordination with registration of the various seed treatments on corn and soybean. I might have additional requests later for other crops, but our top priority right now is just the seed treatments on these two crops.

Thanks so much for your help and please let me know if you need any more info or clarification

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**From:** Sonia Roussel [<mailto:Sonia.Roussel@hc-sc.gc.ca>]

**Sent:** Tuesday, April 01, 2014 2:32 PM

**To:** Kiely, Timothy

**Subject:** Re: Request for an example of seed treatment benefits assessment

Hi Tim,

Sorry for the long delay in getting back to you about sharing efficacy reviews. Between the move in our building and requests to be completed by March 31st, it has been a bit hectic.

I was finally able to get some information about the process. From the response I received, it looks like the process for all US EPA data evaluation records (DERs) requests is to fill in the information below, then it will be forwarded off to you on my behalf. Please note that the turn around time is usually around 30 days.

**Active name**

**Study area (Tox, environment, etc)**

**Due date**

**Specific request with MRID #s, if available.**

Let me know if you are looking for a specific active or study or if you have any questions.

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To: Sonia Roussel <[Sonia.Roussel@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:Sonia.Roussel@hc-sc.gc.ca)>  
Date: 02-24-2014 04:04 PM  
Subject: Re: Request for an example of seed treatment benefits assessment

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Great. Thank you.

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**From:** Sonia Roussel <[Sonia.Roussel@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:Sonia.Roussel@hc-sc.gc.ca)>  
**Sent:** Monday, February 24, 2014 2:57:59 PM  
**To:** Kiely, Timothy  
**Cc:** Sonia Roussel; Stephen Goodacre  
**Subject:** RE: Request for an example of seed treatment benefits assessment

Hi Tim,

Thank you for the information. I wanted to give you a quick update that I am currently looking into the process for sharing efficacy reviews, as it seems that we have an established process. The lady I was referred to is currently out of the office, I will let you know once I hear back from her.

Sonia

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Subject: RE: Request for an example of seed treatment benefits assessment

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Sonia and Stephen,

Hello. I hope you are well. Please see the attached example assessments as we discussed during our meeting. Some are pretty old, but we wanted to give you assessments and information we have for corn. The more recent assessment are more typical of the assessments we complete now. It is not clear to me that all of these went public, so please do not share these documents. Please let me know if you have any questions. Thank you.

Tim

**From:** Sonia Roussel [<mailto:Sonia.Roussel@hc-sc.gc.ca>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 19, 2014 8:04 PM

**To:** Kiely, Timothy  
**Cc:** Kiely, Timothy; Sonia Roussel; Stephen Goodacre  
**Subject:** RE: Request for an example of seed treatment benefits assessment

Hi Tim,

Sorry for not responding earlier, I was not at work today. Tomorrow works for us, you can call at my number 613-736-3718

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Date: 2014-02-19 01:04 PM  
Subject: RE: Request for an example of seed treatment benefits assessment

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Sonia,

Hello. Not sure if you saw my response. Does tomorrow work for you? If so, do you want us to telephone you?  
Thanks.

Tim

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